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Banks.

THE NEW ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION, LIMITED.

AUTHORISED CAPITAL£2,000,000. PAID-UP CAPITAL£58),000. LONDON:

Head Office......40, Throadneedle Street West End Office...25, Cockspur Street. Branches In India, China, Japan

AND THE COLONIES.

THE BANK receives Money on Deposit. Buys and Sells Bills of Exchange, Issues Letters of Credit, forwards Bills for | Ko Collection, and Transacts Banking and Agency Business generally, on terms to e

had on application. INTEREST ALLOWED ON DEPOSITS: Fixed for 12 months, 5 per Cent, per Annum.

UN CURRENT DEPOSIT ACCOUNTS 2 per Cent. per Annum on the Daily Balance. E. W. RUTTER,

Manager. Hongkong, September 4, 1890.

NOTICE.

SAVINGS BANK 🛫

1 .- The business of the above Benk will be conducted by the Hongkong and Shanghas Banking Corporation, on their premises in Hongkong. Buchess hours on week-days, 10 to 3: Saturdays, 10

2.—Sums less than \$1, or more than \$250 depositor may deposit more than \$2,500 in any one year.

3 - Depositors in the Savings' Bank having their option transfer the same to the Rongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation on fixed deposit for 12 months at 5 per cent. per annum interest.

4. -Interest at the rate of 34 per cent. per annum will be allowed to depositors on their daily balances. 5 .- Each Depositor will be supplied gratis

with a Paga-Book which must be presented with each payment or withdrawal. Depositors must not make any entries themselves in their Pasa-Books but should send them to be written up at least twice a year, about ... the beginning of January and beginning of July.

6. Ourrespondence as to the business of the Bank if marked On Hongkong Sacings' Bank Business is forwarded free by the various British Post Offices in Hongkong and China. 7. - Withdrawals may be made on demand,

but the personal attendance of the depositor or his duly appointed agent, and the production of his Pass-Book are neccessity. For the

Honokonu & Shanghai Banking CORPORATION. F. DE BOVIS

Acting Ohief Manager. Hongkong, January 1, 1891.

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING | 278 CORPORATION.

PAID-UP CAPITAL,\$8,168,062.50 RESERVE FUND,......\$5,482,127.20

COURT OF DIRECTORS.

Chairman -H. L. DALRYNPLE, Esq. Deputy Chairman-J. S. Moses, Esq. T. E. DAVIES, Esq. | ALEX. McConacuie,

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HONGKONG.

INTEREST ALLOWER. N. Ourrent Daposit Account at the rate of 3 per cent, per annum on the daily

On Fixed Deposits :--For 3 months, 2 per cont. per annum. n 6 u 4 per cent. in n 5 per ceut. II

LOCAL BILLS DISCOURTED. Oredits granted on approved Securities, and every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted. Drafts granted on London, and the chief Commercial places in Europe, India, Australia, America, China and Japan.

F. DE BOVIS. Acting Ulicf Manager.

Hongkong, February 6, 1891.

HONGKONG, THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 19, 1891.

Intimations.

HONGKONG RACES

FALCONER & Co. have Received, U. per English Mail, a HANDSOME ASSORTMENT OF LUNDON- MADE SILVER Hongkong, February 17, 1891.

BANK HOLIDAYS.

THE Undermentioned BANKS will be CLOSED for the Transaction of Public Business at Noon TO-MORROW and SATURDAY, the 20th and 21st Instant. For the 'Chartered Mercantile Bank o

India, London and China,' J. THORBURN, Manager, Hongkong. For the 'Chartered Bank of India, Aus-

tralia and China, T. H. WHITEHEAD, Manager, Hongkong.

ing Corporation,' F. DE BOVIS, Acting Chief Manager. For the 'New Oriental Bank Corporation,

Limited. E. W. RUTTER, Manager, Hongkong. For the 'Comptoir National d'Escompte de Paris,'

L. GLENAT, Acting Agent, Hougkong. Hongkong, February 19, 1891.

CUSTOMS NOTIFICATION. No. 37.

NT OTICE is hereby given that on the 19ru, N 20TH and 21st INSTANT, they being RACE DAYS, the OFFICE will be Opened at 9 a.m., and Closed at Noon, but work at the Opium Examination Hulk, and the Customa' Stations will proceed as usual. J. MoLEAVY BROWN, Commissioner of Customs,

for Kowloon and District, STOM HOUSE. n, 13th February, 1891.

HONGKONG RACE MEETING-1891.

INFFIN will be Served in the HONG-KONG HOTEL Co.'s TIFFIN ROOM ON THE COURSE, after the Third Race, TO-MORROW and SATURDAY of the Meeting.

TERMS CASH. R. TUCKER, Manager. Hongkong, February 19, 1891.

HONGKONG RIFLE ASSOCIATION.

INTHE COMPETITON advertised to be held on SATURDAY NEXT, the 21st TOULES OF THE HONGRONG Instant, is POSTPONED until further C. VIVIAN LADDS. Hon. Secretary. Hongkonz, February 17, 1891.

> IN THE SUPREME COURT OF HONGKONG.

at one time will not be received. No In the Matter of the Estate the late ALFRED LISTER, Deceased.

AT OTICE is hereby given that the Honour-\$100 or more at their credit may at | able the CHIEF JUSTICE having, in virtue of Section 3 of Ordinance 9 of 1870, made an Order limiting to the 1sr DAY OF MARCH. 1891, the time for sending in CLAIMS against the said Estate, All Creditors are hereby required to send

in their CLAIMS to the Undersigned before the said date. Dated 28th January, 1891. BRUCE SHEPHERD,

Executor. THE EAST BORNEO PLANTING COMPANY, LIMITED.

NTOTICE is hereby given that an EXTRA ORDINARY General MEETING of THE EAST BORNEO PLANTING COM-PANY, LIMITED, will be held at the OFFICES of Mesers. GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co., No. 6, Ice House Lane, on FRIDAY, the 27th day of February, at 12.35 o'Clook in the Afternoon, for the purpose of Passing the following Resolution that is to say :-

That the Company be wound up voluntarily under the Provisions of the Companies Ordinances 1855, 1890, and that U. S. SHARP and L. HALLWARD, both of Hongkong be and they are hereby appointed I juidators, for the purposes of such winding up.

Dated Hongkong, 11th February, 1891. By Order of the Board,

CHAS. F. HARTON. Secretary.

THE TRUST AND LOAN COMPANY OF CHINA, JAPAN AND THE STRAITS, LIMITED.

NOTICE is hereby given that at a General IN MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS held in decided to INCREASE the CAPITAL of plied. the Company by £1,000,000 Stg., in 100,000 Shares of £10 each, to be issued at a pre- Qualifies only are kept. mium of £1.5/- per Share. SHAREHOLDERS whose Names appear on

Hon. J. J. KESWICE. L. POESNECHER, Esq. the Register on the 9TH MARCH, 1891, will D. R. Sassoon, Esq. be entitled to apply for and receive One New Share, for every original share held. Applications for same must be sent in to this Office on o. fore 23nd March, 1891. £1.5.0 per St. only will be called up at present, plus the premium of £1.5/0 per share, psyable thus :-

10/0 on application (including 5/0 prem.) 15/0 , $\{1 \text{ April/91.}\}$ (,, 7/6 ,,

25/0 , 30 June, 1891, (,, 12/6 The Transfer BOOKS of the Company will be OLOSED from 10th to 19th March.

1891, both days inclusive. At the above named General Meeting of Shareholders a Resolution was passed changing the name of the Company to THE BANK OF CHINA, JAPAN AND Report of the General Managers, and to THE STRAITS, LIMITED,' and cancelling Articles 56 and 59 of the Memorandum of Association.

These Alterations require to be Confirmed at another Meeting of Shabeholders to be held in London on 2nd March next. DE WESTLEY LAYION,

Secretary. Hongkong, February 13, 1891. Business Notices.

Hongkong Races!!

Established February,

CLOTHS, STIRRUP WEBS, BRIDLES, SPURS WEIGHT CLOTHS, GIRTHS, &c., &c.

WHIPS. JOCKEY SADDLER'S SUNDRIES and STABLE REQUISITES of all kinds.

RACING COLOURS, RACING SCARFS and FAVOURS. NEW FELT HATS. RIDING BOOTS, JOCKEY BOOTS and MACING TOPS.

HARNESS, DRIVING WHIPS, CARRIAGE, RUGS, DRIVING GLOVES.

Hongkong, February 10, 1891. Victoria Hotel. Praya and Queen's Road Central, Hongkong.

HIBIS Extensive and well-appointed Establishment, situated in one of the most central and airy positions in the Colony and commanding a splendid view of almost the entire harbour and within ave minutes' walk of the principal Government Offices (including the Post Office), Eanks, &c , has recently been much enlarged and improved and is now one of the principal Horers in the place. The ROOMS are spacious, well ventilated and have just been refurnished in a most comfortable and handsome manner, suited to the requirements of the Far East.

The Accommodation and Forvice of every kind will be found to beef the best description. An ample and varied TABLE D'HOTE is always provided and served in the spacious, The HOTEL also contains handsome and comfortable Reception, READING, BILLIARD and SMORING ROOMS.

The HOTEL is unsurpassed for comfort, convenience and quick service. intinental languages are spoken. Messrs. DORABJEE & HING KEE,

Hongkong, September 16, 1885.

TAILORS, GENERAL OUTFITTERS, &c. (OPPOSITE HONGKONG HOTEL).

OUR STOCK of SEASONABLE GOODS is now complete in all the NEWEST MATERIALS, comprising :- A Lurge Variety of DRESS SUITING from \$30, upwards. TWEEDS for SUITS, ULSTERS and INVERNESS CAPES, CORDS and ELASTICS for RIDING and SHOOFING, BRUCHES and LEGGINGS.

EVENING DRESS SHIRTS, COLLARS, TIES, GLOVES, SILK, LISLE 324 THREAD and CASHMERE SOCKS; PATENT LEATHER PUMPS and SHOES, &c., &c., &c.

W. POWELL & Co. VICTORIA EXCHANGE, February 14, 1891.

Intimations.

ROUYER, GUILLET & CIE., COGNAC, France.

For Ten Years THE LARGEST SHIPPERS

BULK BRANDY.

COMMUNICATIONS DIREUT

LONDON BRANCH. ROUYER, GUILLET & Co., 59, Mark Lane, London, E.C.

14th August, 1890. VICTORIA GAP, PEAK,

PEAK HOTEL. ADJOINING THE TRAMWAY TERMINUS.

THE most beautiful position in the enfeet above Sea-level, commanding Magni- from the 27TH INSTANT to 20TH FEBRUARY ficent Views of the City and Harbour of NEXT, both days inclusive, between the Victoria, the mainland of China and neigh- hours of 9 a.m. and 5 p.m. daily.

nouring islands. Cool Southerly breezes in Summer with perfect protection from the N. E. Winds of Winter. There is excellent Accommodation for Visitors, with every comfort, convenience

and attention. The CUISINE is under the best super-LONDON, on 12th February, 1891, it was vision and every luxury obtainable is sup- Colonial Secretary's Office, WINE, &c., -the best Brand and Finest

TERMS MODERATE. TELEPHONE No. 29.

PEAK HOTEL AND TRADING COMPANY, LIMITED. Proprietors. Hongkong, February 13, 1891.

HONGKONG FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE Twenty-Second Ordinary Augual MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS in the above Company will be held at the Orrices of the Company, Pedder's Street, on SATURDAY, the 7th Proximo, at Noon, to receive a Statement of Accounts to the 31st December, 1890, the elect a Consulting Committee and Auditors. The Transfer BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 21st Instant to the 7th Proximo, both days inclusive. JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,

General Managers. Hongkong Fire Insurance Company, Limited. Hongkong, February 13, 1891. -

Intimations.

Proprietors.

TREASURY NOTICE.

SUPPLY of FIFTY-CENT PIECES A having now been Received, ISSUE can be made. Requisitions must be moderate. No Orders will be granted on SATURDAY, or on the Last DAY of the

It is requested that CHEQUES or Money. may not be sent to the TREASURY with ap-18. -STEEPIE-CHASE-Holf-Mile. plications for Orders. Orders not cashed within a week from date of issue are cancelled. N. G. MITCHELL-INNES.

Treasurer. Hongkong, 17th February, 1891.



GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.

TNFORMATION has been received from the MILITARY AUTHORITIES that ARTILLERY PRACTICE will take place wirons of Hongkong, situated 1,250 from the Batteries at Stone-cutters' Island. The Line of Fire will be in a South-Westerly direction from the Batteries. All Sairs, Junes and other Vessels are CAUTIONED to kept clear of the Range.

> By Command. F. FLEMING, Colonial Secretary.

Hongkong, 24th January, 1891. HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

NOTICE is beroby given that the Ordinary Yearly MEETING of the SHAREHOLDERS in this Corporation will be held at the CITY HALL, Hongkong, on SATURDAY, the 28th day of February current, at 12 o'Clock, Noon, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Court of Directors, together with a Statement of Accounts to 31st December, 1890. By Order of the Court of Directors,

F. DE BOVIS. Acting Chief Manager. Hongkong, February 5, 1891. HONGKONG & SHANGRAL BANKING

CORPORATION. -TOTICE is hereby given that the REGISTER of SHARES of the CORPORATION will be CLOSED from SATURDAY, the 14th, to SATURDAY. the 28th day of February current (both days inclusive), during which period no Transfer of Shares can be registered.

By Order of the Court of Directors, F. DE BOVIS. Acting Chief Manager. Hongkong, February & 1891.

Intimations.

BONGKONG JOCKEY OLUB.

RACE MEETING, 1891.

THURSDAY, FRIDAY AND SATURthe 9th 20th and 27 37 Pobruary.

DULE 15 .- Admission to the Grand Stand and Enclosure. For Members of the Jockey Club, Free; for Nou-Members, \$5 for the Meeting. For Admission to New Grand Stand, \$3 for the Meeting. RULE 16.—Tickets of Admission to the Grand Stand and Enclosure to be had on an lication to E. W. RUTTER, Esq., Honorary Treasurer. No one admitted without a Ticket, to be shown to the Gate-

> E. H. GUREBOOTH, Clerk of the Course.

Hongkong February 12, 1891. HONGKONG JOCKEY CLUB.

E. H. GORE-BOOTH,

Clerk of the Course. Hongkong, February 12, 1891. HONGKONG JOCKEY CLUB.

THE STEWARDS request the pleasure of the presence of the Ladies at the Grand Stand and Enclosure during the Races on the 19th, 20th, and 21st instant.

Hongkong, February 12, 1891. HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOOK

COMPANY, LIMITED.

E. H. GORE-BOOTH,

Clerk of the Jourse.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS. THE Ordinary Yearly MEETING of

The Transfer BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 9th to the 23rd Instant, both days inclusive. By Order of the Board of Directors,

Accounts to 31st December, 1890.

Secretary. Hongkong, February 2, 1801. THE HONGKONG ATHLETIC CLUB.

D. GILLIES.

HE First MEETING of the HONG- 335 L KONG ATHLETIC OLUB will take place on the Race-Course by kind per- GREEN ISLAND CEMENT COMPANY mission of he STEWARDS of the JOCKEY CLUB), on SATURDAY, 28th February, commencing at 1 o'Clock p.m. precisely, when the following Events will be contested. 1.—120 Yards Flat Race. (Handicap). 2.—PUTTING THE SHOT.

3.--Long Jump. 4 .- 220 Yards FLAT RACE. (Handicap). 5.—BICYCLE RACE—Half-Mile. (Handi-6.—HALF-MILE FLAT RACE. (Open to

Soldiers and Police). 7.—HURDIE RACE —120 Yards—10 Flights. 8. HALF-MILE FLAT RACE (Haudicap) Ladios' Purse. 9.—High Jump.

10.—BICYLE RACE—One Mile. (Handicap) 11,-100 YIRDS CHALLENGE CUP. 12.—Highland Fling. (Open to Soldiers and Police). 13.—THROVING THE CRICKET BALL

14.—MILE CHALLENGE CUP. 15.—VETERANS' RACE. (Competitors must be over 35 years of ageand of not less than 10 years Residence in the East). 16 .- Tug-or-W AR. (Open to all Teams). 17 .- QUARTER MILE CI ALLENGE CUP.

19.—CONSOLATION RACE—120 Yards. Competitors in Events Nos. 2, 6, 12, 15, and 16 not being Members of the Club to pay an Entrance Fee of \$1 for each Event. The above Events, with the exception of Nos. 2, 6, 12, 15, and 16, am Open only to those Gentlemen Amateurs who are Members of the Hongkong Athletic Club. Entry Forms can be obtained from Messrs | 279 LANE, CRAWFORD & Co., Messes Kelly &

WALSH LD, and the Undersigned. ENTRIES CLOSE on 20th Instant. W. H. YOUNG.

Hon. Sec. H.K.A.C. Hongkong, February 7, 1891. HE CHINA FIRE INSURANCE

COMPANY, LIMITED. HE Twenty-Second Ordinary MEET ING of SHAREHOLDERS in the above Company will be held at the Company's Office, No. 2, Queen's Road Central, Victoria, on FRIDAY, the 27th February instant, at Half-past I'wo o'Clock in the Afternoon, for the purpose of receiving a Statement of Accounts and the Report

of the Directors for the ending 31st Decem-The Transfer BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 14th to the 27th Instant, both days inclusive By Order,

JAS. B. COUGHTRIE, Secretary. Hongkorg, February 3, 1891. THE HONGKONG ELECTRIC COM-

PANY, LIMITED.

NTOTICE is hereby given to HOLDERS. of SHARES in the above Company, on which the SECOND CALL of (\$2) Two Dollars per Share, due 1st November, 1890, is still Unpaid, that unless the said Call, with INTEREST at the Rate of 12 PER CENT. per Annue from the due date, be PAID on or before the 28TH DAY OF FEBRUARY, 1891, at he Company's Office, 6, Ice House Lane, the Shares in respect of which such Call Remains Unpaid on the aforesaid date will be hable to be FORFEITED, and under the Provisions of Article X Subsection VIII, of the Articles of Association: the Board will pass the necessary Resolutions for the Forfoiture of the said Shares. By Order of the Board of Directors, CHAS. F. HARTON,

Acting Secretary. Hougkong, February 7, 1831.

Intimations.

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.

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TT is hereby notified for general informa-I tion that 'on and offer SATURDAY, the 21st Instant, until further Notice, the WATER SUPPLY throughout the City with the exception of Praya Central, Praya West, and Queen's Road East as far as

By Command.

Spring Gardens, will be Cur orr between

the hours of 11 a.m. and 4 p.m. each day.

Colonial Secretary. COLONIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE, Hongkong, 18th February, 1891.

THE SONGEL KOYAH PLANTING COMPANY, LIMITED.

ATOTICE is hereby given that in pursu A ance of a Requisition duly made in NO SERVANTS will be allowed inside | writing under the Article 8 of the Company's the emissure of the Race Course | Articles of Association mon the Undersign during Race days without tickets, which ed General Managers, the Undersigned do can be had on application from the Under- hereby convene an EXTRAORDINARY General MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS at the Offices of the Company, No. 6 Ice House Lane, for FRIDAY, the 27th 202 February, 1891, at 0.15 p.m., when the following Resolution will be arbmitted,

> "That the Company be wound up volun-tarily, under the Porvisions of the Companies' Ordinances 1865-1890, and that O. S. SHARP and L. HALLWARD, both of Hongkong, be, and they are hereby, appointed Liquidators for the purposes of such winding-up."

GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co., General Managers. Hongkong, February 18, 1891.

THE LAMAG PLANTING COMPANY

LIMITED. HE Ordinary Yearly MEETING of OTICE is hereby given that an EXTRA-SHAREHOLDERS will be held in ORDINARY General MEETING of the Offices of the Company, No. 14 Praya, the LAMAG PLANTING COMPANY Central, on MONDAY, the 23rd February, LIMITED, will be held at the OFFICES of at Noon, for the purpose of receiving the Messrs. Gibb. Livingston & Co., No. 6 Report of the Directors, and Statement of Ice House Lane, on FRIDAY, the 27th day of February, at 12.25 o'Clock in the Afternoon, for purpose of Passing the following

Resolution that is to say: -"That the Company be wound up voluntarily under the Provisions of the Companies' Ordinances 1805-1890, and that C. S. SHARP and L. HALLWARD, both of Hongkong be, and they are hereby appointed Liquidators for the purposes of such winding-up. Dated 18th February, 1891.

GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co., General Managers.

LIMITED. NI OTICE is hereby given that the Ordinary Annual MEECING of SHARE-HOLDERS will take place at the OFFICES of the Undersigned, on FRIDAY, the 27th day of February, 1891, at 4 o'Clock, to receive the Report and Statement of the Accounts of the Company to the 31st of December, 1890. The Transfer BOOKS will be CLOSED

both days inclusive. ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co., General Managers. Hongkong, February 13, 1891.

SOCIÉTE FRANÇAISE DES HOUIL-LERES DE TOURANE. N EXTRAORDINARY General

MEETING of the SHAREHOLDERS in the above Company will be held on CHURSDAY, 5th March, 1891, at Hat-PHONG, Rue de la Dousne, for the purpose of receiving a Report of the Directors on the working of the Company, and passing a Resolution modifying the present System of SHARRHOLDERS holding 20 SHARES or more who wish to be represented at the

above Meeting can Sign Powers of Ar-

TORNEY at the Offices of the Undersigned.

ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co..

Shipping.

Steamers. NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD.

NOTICE.

STEAM TO YOKOHAMA, KOBE AND NAGASAKI. (Passing through the INLAND SEA.) The Co.'s Steamship General Werder. Capusin M. Eighel, will leave for the above Ports

on or about the 22nd of February.

For further Particulars, apply to MELCHERS & Co... Hongkong, February 16, 1891.

NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD NOTICE. STEAM TO SHANGHAL

The Co.'s Steamship Neckar. Captain H. SUPMER, will leave for the above place about 24 hours after arrival with the cutward German Mail For further Particulars, apply to

FOR NEW YORK VIA SUEZ CANAL The Steamship. Capt. Swinneston, will skill put the 23rd Instant.

Hopgkong, February 16, 1891.

ADAMSON, BELL & Co., Houghong, February 18, 1891.

For Freight, apply to

PRICE, \$2 PER MONTH. Shipping.

Steamers.

DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED. FOR SWATOW, AMOY AND

TAIWANFOO. The Co.'s Steamship

Ports on FRIDAY, the 20th Instant, at Daylight. For Freight or Passage, apply to

DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co., General Managers. Hougkong, February 17, 1891. . 328

STEAM TO YOKOHAMA, VIA NAGA-SAKI AND KOBE. (Passing through the INLAND SEA.)

Steamship Verona, Captain F. H. SEYMOUR, will leave for the above places on FRI-DAY, the 20th Instant, at Noou.

P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office, Hongkong, February 12, 1891.

AUSTRO-HUNGARIAN LLOYD'S STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY. COLOMBO, BOMBAY, ADEN, JEDDA, SUEZ, PORT SAID,

(Taking Cargo at through rates to CAI-OUTTA, MADRAS, PERSIAN GULF, RED SEA, BLACK SEA, LEVANT and ADRIATIC PORTS.) The Co.'s Steamship Pandora.

3 p.m. prior to date of sailing. For further information as to Passage and Freight, apply to DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co.,

STEAM TO MANILA VIA AMOY. The Steamship Nanzing,
Captain Hood, will be despatched as above on

For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,

LIMITED. FOR PORT DARWIN, QUEENSLAND

297 above on MONDAY, the 23rd Instant, at The attention of Passengers is directed to the Superior Accommodation offered by this Steamer. First-class Saloon and Cabins are situated forward of the Engines. Second-class Passengers are berthed in the

> entire voyage. A duly qualified Surgeon is For Freight or Passage, apply to

Hongkong, February 18, 1891. 200

CHINA SHIPPERS' MUTUAL STEAM NAVIGATION COM-PANY, LIMITED.

Nimichow. above on or about the 26th Instant.

For Freight, apply to

ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co., Hongkong, February 11, 1891. SHIRE LINE OF STEAMERS.

AND ANTWERP. The Steamship Denbighshire. Captain GEDYE, will be despatched as above on SATURDAY, the 28th Instant.

Hongkong, February 17, 1891.

FOR SAN FRANCISCO. The 3/3 L.I.I. American Ship Goodwin, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch.

For Freight, apply to RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, January 15, 1891.

FOR NEW YORK. The 3/3 L.1.1. American Ship Imperial,
CEOSBY, Master, will load here
for the above Port, and will havo quick despaich. For Freight, apply to

Captain Lewis, will be despatched for the above

The P. & O. S. N. Co.'s

E. L. WOODIN, Superintendent.

STEAM FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG, HODEIDAH, MASSAWAH, SUAKIM, BRINDISI, TRIESTE, VENICE

AND FIUME.

Captain G. METEL, will be despatched as above on the 20th Instant, at Noon. Cargo will not be received on board after

Hongkong, February 10, 1891.

SATURDAY, the 21st Instant, at Noon. This Steamer has superior Accommodation for First-class Passengers.

Hongkong, February 18, 1891. OHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY,

PORTS, SYDNEY & MELBOURNE. from the 14th to the 27th day of February, The Co.'s Steamship Taiyuan. R. NELSON, Commander, will be despatched as

> Poop. A Refrigerating Chamber ensures the aupply of Fresh Provisions during the

> > BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,

FOR LONDON. The Co.'s Steamship H. L. Allen, Commdr., will be desnatched as

FOR HAVRE, LONDON, HAMBURG

For Freight or Passage, apply to ADAMSON, BELL & Co.,

Sailing Vessels.

RUSSELL & Co.

Hougkong, January 31, 1891.

MELOHERS & Co.,

II TERRACE,

ARCADE,' Queen's Rord,

Apply to

TO LET.

GODOWNS in DUDDELL STREET.

Hougkong, February 17, 1891

No. 4, OLD BAILEY STREET.

Hongkong, February 2, 1891.

sion, 1st March.

TULET.

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principal places of Europe.
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Hongkong, February 19, 1891. ROYAL, THEATRE

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closing the Mails, &c. MAILS BY THE UNITED STATES PACKET -The United States Mail Packet Occanic will be despatched on THURSDAY, the 26th Instant, with Mails for Japan; San Francisco, the United States, Canada, Honolulu, Peru, &c., which will be closed as follows :-

0.15 P.M. Registry ceases. 0.30 P.M. Post Office closes, but Correspondence may be posted on board the Packet, with Late Fee of 7 cents extra Postage until the time of departure.

HOURS OF CLOSING THE ENGLISH AND FRENCH MAILS. When the Packets leave at Noon. The following hours will be observed in closing the Mails for Europe, &c., by the English and French Packets, when they Isave at Noon. The Money Order Office will be closed at 5 the day before.

8.00 A.M.—Posting of Prices Current and Circulars ceases. (Prices Current and Circulars may however be posted up to 10 o'clock if they are tied in bundles, country by country, with the addresses all

11.10 A.M.) with 7 cents late fee up to

11.30 A.M., after which hour they may

one way). 10.00 A.M. - Begistry ossess. 10.30 A.M. - Posting of Newspapers, Books, and Patterns ceases. 11.00 A.M. -- Mail closes. ET LATE LETTERS may be posted (from

be sent on Board with the same Late TO PEAR DELIVERY. Letters, &c., will only. Correspondence for the Peak may be posted in the General Post Office up to 11.30 a.m. or 3.30 p.m., or in the Letter Boxes in the Cars till time of departure. Parcels for the Peak may be posted in the General Post Office only up to 11.30 a.m. or 3.30 p.m. Local Rates will

Covers containing Bank Notes, &c., should be registered. Letters Parcels, &c., for Kowloon Point and ateamers in Harbour may be posted in the General Post Office up to 11.30 a.m. and 3.30 p.m. Letters from Kowloon Point may be posted in the Letter Box which has been

te charged. No Sunday delivery. Senders

are requested to Cancel their Stamps by

writing the word Stamped across them.

placed in the Police Station Compound up to 12 and 4 o'clock. Local rates will be charged. To avoid robbery, senders of letters from Kowloon are requested to cancel their stamps by writing the word stamped across Covers containing Bank Notes, Jewellery

There will be no Sunday delivery. General Memoranda. SATURDAY, February 21 :--

&c. should be registered.

Noon.—Local Banks close. Hongkong Races. Transfer Books of the Hongkong Fire Insurance Co., Ltd., closed from this date to 7th Proximo, inclusive 9 p.m.—Meeting of British Mercantile Marine Officers' Association. 9 p.m. Performance of The Gondoliers.

Monday, February 23: Noon, -Meeting of Shareholders of The Hongkong & Whampon Dock Co., Ld., at No. 14 Praya, Central. 9 p.m .- Performance at the City Hall. TUESDAY, February 24:

Goods per Strathleten undelivered after this date subject to root. "HUBSDAY, February 26 :-2 p. w. -Austion of Household Furniture. do., at the Residence of Capt. Jackson. No. 4, West Terrace.

FRIDAY, February 27:—
0.15 p.m.— Meeting of Shareholders of The Songei Koyah Planting Co., Ltd., at Company's Offices. 12.25 p.m.—Meeting of Shareholders of The Lamag Planting Co., Ltd., at the Offices of Mesars Gibb, Livingston & Co. 12.35 p.m. - Extraordinary Meeting of The East Borneo Planting Co., Ltd.,

at No. 6, Ice House Lane. 2.30 p.m.—Meeting of Shareholders of The China Fire Insurance Co., Ltd., at No. 2, Queen's Road Central. 4 p.m. - Meeting of Shareholders of The Green Island Coment Co., Ltd., at the General Managers' Offices

SATURDAY, February 28 ---Noon. -- Meeting of Shareholders of The Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation at the City Hall. 1 p.m. -Sports of H.K. Athletic Club on the Race Course

Saturday, March 6:-Noon. - Meeting of Shareholders of The Hongkon, Fire Insprance Co., Ltd., at

the Company's Offices, Pedder's Street,

MEMOS. FOR TO-MORKOW Shipping.

Daylight .- Formosa leaves for S'tow, &c. Noon .- Verona leaves for Japan. Nuon. Pu dora leaves for Triesto, &c. Miscellaneous.

9 a.m .- Artillety Practice at Stone-cutter's Island. Noon. - Local Banks close, Hongkong Races.

WINES AND SPIRITS:



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TATE invite attention to the following old VV landed Brands, all of which are excellent quality and good value for the money. The same being specially selected by our London House, and bought direct from the WE learn that the Agents of the Nippon most noted Shippers, are imperied in wood and bottled by ourselves, thus enabling us to supply the best growths at moderate Co.) have received a telegram from the

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gram receive prompt attention. PORTS. (For Invalids and general use.) Per doz.

Cuse. Per Bot. A Alto Douro, good quality, \$10 \$1.00 inst. Green Capsulo B Vintage, superior quality, 'C Fine Old Vintage, superior quality, Black Seal Cap-D Very Fine Old Vintage, extra superior. Violot Cap-

sule (Old Bottled) . . . 18 SHERRIES. A Delicate Pale Dry. dinner wine, Green Capsule . . 6 B Superior Pale Dry, dinner wine, Green Scal Capsule 7.50 0.75 C Manzanilla, Pale Natural Sherry, White Capsule . 10

Natural Shorry, Red Seal D Very Superior Old Pale Dry, choice old Wine, White Seal Capsule E Extra Superior Old Pale Dry, very finest quality, Black Seal Capsulo (Ild . 14

CC Superior Old Dry, Pale

Quarts. Pints. CLARETS. A Superior Broakfast Claret,

C St. Julien D La Rose BRANDY. A Hennessy's Old Pale, Red Capsulo. B Superior Very Old Cognac,

Red Capsule O Very Old Liquour Cognac, D Hennessy's Finest Very Old SCOTCH WHISKY. A Thorne's Blend. White B Watson's Glenorchy Mellow Blend, Blue Capsule, with Name and Trade C Watson's Abelour-Glenli vet, Red Capsule, with Name

and Trade Mark D Watson's HKD Blend of the Finest Scotch Malt Whiskies, Violet Cap-E Watson's Very Old Liqueur Scotch Whisky, Gold Cap-

IRISH WHISKY A. John Jameson's Old; Green Capsule . . . B John Jameson's Fine Old, . 10 1.00 Green Capsule. . O John Jameson's Very Eine Old, Green Capsule 12 GENUINE BOURBON WHIGHT.

fine old. Red Capsule. with Namo 10 A Fine Old Tim, White Cap-B Fine Unawequened, White

O Fine A. V. H. Geneva . . 5.25 0.50 Finest Old Jamaica, Violet Good Leeward Island \$1.50 per Gallon LIQUEURS. Benedictine Maraschine

Heering's Cherry Cordial Curacoa: Bitters, &c. The publication of this issue commence

al 8, 10 p.m.

The China Liail.

congrong, thursday, feebuary 19, 189

TELEGRAMS

[SUPPLIED TO THE CHINA MAIL.]

(Via Southern Line.) THE IRISH QUESTION.

LONDON, 17th February, 1891. Mr John Morley, supported by Mr Gladstone, proposed a vote of censure, on the Government for its administration Ireland. The debate is proceeding.

LOCALAND GENERAL.

PASSED SUEZ CANAL OUTWARD BOUND :- Collington, Jan. 9) Mampshire Benlarig, 2 Daphne, Innishowen Head, 30; Glesfelloch, Oopack. Telemachus, Fob, 3; Villona, Brand Angers, 6 : Dardanus, Amar, Berniels,

pore on Monday, the 16th Feb., and ought to offer to women a special vote of may be espected here on or about thanks in December for making themselves Mr A. W. Maitland's Gallant (Mr Mac-Saturday, the 21st Feb.

Hongkony on Dec. 18. The Canadian Pacific s. s. Abyssinia, from

Vaucouver, left Yokohama for Hongkong via jerts on Feb. 18th. The Austro-Hong. L. S. N. Co.'s steamship Pandora, from Tricate, left Manila for

this port on Feb. 18th, and may be

expected here on or sbeut the 21st The P. and O. Co.'s steamship Nizam left Singapore on February 16, at 5 p.m., and may to ex, ectod here on or about the 24th leb.

Feb. 17, and may be expected here on | blem be solved. or about Feb. 24.

The s.s. Kutsang, with mails &c. from Calcutta, left Singapore on the 17th Feb., and may be expected here on or about the 24th leb.

Yusen Kaisha (Messrs Geo. R. Stevens& Head Office at Tokio to the effect that the

MESSES Arnhold, Karberg & Co. informus that the China Shippers Munal Company's steamer Hamphire, from London and Liverpool, left Singspore for this port yesterday, Esq. and may be expected here on or about 25th

1.10 THE M. M. Co.'s s. s. Salozie, with the under very favourable circumstances. A French Mail of 23rd ultime, left Singapore slight shower in the forencen just sufficed 1.25 to-day, the 19th, at 10 a.m., and may to soften the course a little, which before be expected here on or about Thursday, the | was somewhat too bard. The temperature 1.50 26th inst. This Packet brings replies to was not high, but was not uncomfortably letters despatched from Hongkong on 18th low. There were twenty or thirty fewer 0.60 December.

> WE are requested by the Hon. Secretary of 1.00 the Athletic Club to remind intending competitors at the forthcoming Sports that no 1.00 entries can be received after Saturday, 21st Inst. We are pleased to learn that Lady 1.10 Des Vœux has graciously consented to distribute the prizes to the successful competi-

THE prisoner Choi Yat, who is accused of incendiarism within the jurisdiction of the Emperor of thina, and for whose rendition the Chinese Government has applied, B St. Estephe, Red Capsule. 4.50 5.00 was committed to prison to-day to await 7.50 the orders of the Governor. Only one witness was brought for the defence, who Case. Per Bot. stated that he had seen the prisoner off and on during last year in Hongkong.

Tun Mainichistates that the manager of a 14 1.25 London Bank, while watching the accountant of the Lordon branch of the Yokohima 1.50 Specie Bank sing his about, wasastonthed at the rapidity of his calculations and tried the experiment of setting an English Vintage, Red Capsule . 24 2.00 accountant to contend with a Japanese worker of the proban; the figures to be added up being mad out to the two. There-8 0.75 sult was that while the foreigner was doing one page of figures the Japanese completed four and a half. The manager Chief Inspector Cradock, and Inspectors of the Cank is said to have been so struck 0.75 with this fact that he decided to send his younger brother to Japan to study the system, and this decision being made known 0.75 to others, four youths determined to accompany the manager's brother. Commenting on the above, the Japan Gautte mays :- About the rapidity of the sordan 1.00 calculations as compared with those which necessitate writing down the figures, we have no doubt. The rest of the tale sounds 1.10 incredible; since the use of the absour might be learnt in a couple of days by any sharp accountant in England. Rapidity is

0.75 the result of practice; of course. Appraon's presperous foundling who order who appears to be very well known in the easily by about two lengths. Time, 60 sec. United States in these days. Mr J. D. Champlin tells us that the increasing demand for pedigrees and heraldic insknia has led to a new industry, and there is now scarcely an American city which does not 4.50 0.40 boast its college of hersidry. The sole difference between these institutions and the one presided over by the Earl Manhal of England isthat they are spictly private institutions. This, however, is an advantage, Mr. John Peel's Merry Xmas (Mr. Hough) for with thethoroughness characteristic of individual enterprise, the American colleges Mr Ten Broeck's Wild Mint (Mr Green) never fail to provide un broken lines of progenitors, while their escutcheons viewed Chartreuse Dr. Siegert's Angostura from the mathetic standpoint are described as far supedor to those devised by Garter. Clarencieux, or Norroy.' Moreover, they are fully prepared to connect wealthy American families with families in England of astured position andrank, or to make to order an entirely newline of forefathers of the most approved pattern, with suitable arms, including, if they are ordered, a motto, supporters, and any kind of oronet.

An American editor has been collecting the opinions of well-known people on dress, him were Duncraggan and Autocrat close ther then drew up and Vagrant took the Dr Lucy M. Hale, who has been resident together. The two latter came up the load, winning easily. Before the finish physician at Vassar, and who is a contri. Straight in fine style, passed Merry Xmas | Muster took the second place from Maclean, butor to scientific periodicals, protests and made a capital finish, Duncraggan win- __Time, 3.17. against the high fur collars that are worn. | ning by half a length, to the surprise of She declares that they not only render the everybody. -Time, 2.08. throat susceptible to cold, but make the neck scrawny. Miss Olive Harper objects The Hongkone Derny, sweepstake of \$20 to the custom of the New York girls promenading in their riding-habits. She thinks they make speciacles of themselves. Dr Louisa Bryson says that Frenchwemen are delichoophakous, and English women brachycephologie, and thatthese characteristics are not sufficiently studied in their dress. Shedeclares that American women are developing some Indian qualities of physique, high cheek bones among therest. and that b mets should be chosen with a due regard to this circumstance. Mrs Conner, a buy newspaper woman, stopped Naples, 16 Jason, Teach, Colonist, 23; her pen to somadvert upon the length of Mr Burey's Reciprocation (Mr Reynell) street dresse. San hater to see ten isones of velvet trilling over the dirty attests. Mr Joe's Flight (Mr Mechado) 10st, 10lbs... But on being asked if she would wear a Mr Ess Starlight (Mr Humphreys) 10st. skirt to reach to the knee she said she would not, for the small boys would hoot. She Mr John Peel's Merry Thought (Mr BOMEWARD Bound :- Yorkshire, Jan. 29: would be gad to hear of Mrs. Charles !-Hancock's successful impossion. Dr Claun- Mr Burey's Crown Diamond (Mr Samp-Iphigenia, 6; Glengyle, cutlej, Yangist, coy M. Depow asserted his belief that the masculue half of humanity regards Mr. Sassoon's Austerlitz (Mr. Sassoon) with especial favour the prevalence of The Norddentscher Lloyd 8. 8. Comps. bright colours in woman's dress; the soft, Mr Coll's Chimera (Mr Nichel) 10st, ny's steamship Neckar, with the GER brilliant, yellows and reds, and the gleam

cheerful to look upon.

but for the present the hope lies in the fastest on record by 22 secs. improvement of boilers. If it shall be found possible to use in the ocean steam vessels such boilers as are put into the torpedo boats that are built at Chiswick, Mr Roberts can see little reason to doubt that the Atlantic liners will be able to attain at least as high a rate of speed as those The Glen Lite steamship Glenogle, from naval flyers which can steam at nearly Glasgow and London, left Singaporeon | thirty miles an hour. Then will the pro-

HONGKONG RACES 1891.

Stewards.-His Excellency Sir G. William Des Voux, K.O.M. G.; His Excellency Mr Trust's Haphazant (Mr Reynell) 11st. Admiral Sir Nowell Salmon, V.C., K.C.B. His Excellency Major - General Digby Barker, C.B.; Commodo e Church, R.N.; Colonel Storer, R.E.; Colonel Chater, 91st Regt.; the Hon. P. Ryrie; the Hon. J. J. Keswick; the Hon. C. P. Chater; G. S. Coxon, Esq.; W. H. Forbes, Esq.; J. Grant, Esq.; R. M. Gray, Esq.; M. Grote, Esq.; H. Hoppius, Esq.; E. L. Woodin,

Hon. Treasurer .- E. W. Rutter, Esq. Clerk of the Course, -E. H. Gore-Booth

FIRST DAY, FRERUARY 19TH. The annual race meeting began to-day entries this year, due to the disappearance of Mr Humphreys' large stable and the contraction of others. The number of owners, however, was greater. The turn-out of Europeans and Chinese was not quiteso large as in some by gone years, but the interest shown in the events was as keen as ever. Success was not very equally divided, no less than six wins falling to John Peel's popular stable. The only other big stable, Mr Mr Fraser Smith's Glonisla (Mr Colling-Buxey's, was unfortunate, failing to secure a first place. The three remaining wents were won by Mr Quintet, Mr Boyd Mr Barker's Clarewood (Mr Barker) 11st. and Mr Sassoon. The only surprise was the Ashley Cup, which was taken from the favourites by Duncraggan. times were very good, the Derby's being the quickest on record by 21/2 seconds

The fields were large, with the exception of three races. The events were kept well up to time. Hon C. P. Chater acted as judge, Mr W. H. Forbes as timekeeper, Mr Gore Booth as starter and Messra Hoppius and Grote presided at the weighing scales.

Of the ilders, Mr Hough had 5 wins and Measrs Master, Sassoon, Boyd and Green one each.

The Police arrangements were efficiently carried out by a body of men under Acting Hennessy and Hanson.

The Wong-Nei-Chong Stakes, for China ponies; weight for inches; entrance \$5; with \$100 added. Half-a-mile. Mr John Peel's Opposition (Mr Hough) Mr Sid's Waldo (Mr Sampson) 11st. 1 b. Mr Sassoon's Unicorn (Mr Hutchings) Mr Frasor Smith's Chaser (Mr Maclean)

Opposition led at the start. At the village Chaur came up with him, but he could not maintain his place and fell gradually behind. Waldo took the second place, ed at the secondhand picturedealer's a com- followed by Unicorn. There was a good plete set of angestors is a typical personge race up the Straight, but Opposition won

> The Ashley Cop, presented by D. R. Sassoon, 1 sq.; for China ponics; entrance \$5 | weight for inches. One mile.

Mr Boyd's Dunoraggan (Mr Boyd) 10st. Mr Chautrey's Autocrat (Mr Master) 10st. 6lts....0 Mr Buxey's Shipjack (Mr Reynell) 11st....0 Mr Burey's Grayling (Mr Sampson) 11st.

Mr Sebrof's Coquette (Mr Hart Buck) Mr Sid's Susewind (Mr Maclean) 11st. 11b...0 Susevind started off, followed at some distance by Skipjack, and overhalf the course these two made the running. By the time the Rock was reached Suscuind was bursted. Skinjack kept in front till the Village was passed, when John Peel's Merry Xmes was let out and came to the front. Behind

each, half forfeit if declared on or before day of closing entries, with \$100 added for 1st pony, and \$50 for 2nd; for all China ponies bond fide griffins at date of entry (Saturday, 17th January, 1891); first pony, 70 per cent.; second, 20 per cent; third, 10 per cent; weight 10st. 10lbs. One mile and a half.

Mr John Peel's Ardent (Mr Master) 10st. Mr Buxey's Royalty (Mr Pond) 10st. MAN MAIL of 20th Jan., left Single of jewels. He even thought that men Mr Agyll's Vampire (Majer Hannay)

The M. M. Co.'s steamer Salazie, with the Inchesing the Speedor Steamers. - From Mr Buxey declared to win with Royalty. Romance collined him, followed by Jujube French mill of Jan. 23rd left Singapore Queenstown to New York in one hundred Notwithstanding the large field a fairly and Kubla Khan. Coming up the Straight on thursday, February 19th, at 20 a.m., hours; or, say, four clear days. Shall we good start was casily effected. Crown Dia- Romance increased the lead and won easily. and may be expected here on or about ever realize this dream? Mr Morley R. mond and Gallant made the running at first, Between Jujube and Kubla Khan there was more into the pursuits and ammements of gravely remarked: 'Oh, Mr Asian, there Thursday February 26. This packet berts, as appears by his interesting intro- but, in the second round they fell to the a close race for the second place, the former the sterner it is not to be wondered at that goes to morrow's bazaar money. I shall brings teplies to letters dispatched from ductory micle on the subject of The Great roar and their places were taken by John winning by a head -Time 21. Steamship Lines' in Murray's Magazine, Peel's two ponies Ardent and Merry Thought, clearly thinks it feasible, and even points the former having a good lead. Before the out how it will be done. There is just the village was reached it was evident that the p saibility that another Watt of Stophenson race was John Peel's Buxey's two ponies inay arise to show us how to avoid the made astrong effort to catch up Ardent, but enormous loss in fiction in overcoming failed, the latter winning easily by-two of the vis inertiae of our vast marine engines; three lengths. -Time, 3min, 12 heces. -the

> The Foodnow Cur, value \$200; presented by the Foochow community, for China ponies; weight for inches; entrance \$5. Two miles.

Mr John Peel's Vagrant (Mr Hough) Mr Buxey's Arabic (Mr Sampson) 10st. Mr Nastai's Blue Ruin (Mr Master) 11st. Mr Jones's Llygodon (Mr Orlebar) 11st. Mr John Peel's Leap Year (Mr Machado)

Mr Yoma's Cobweb (Mr Hutchings) 11st.

Mr. Frasor Smith's Senator (Mr Maclean) Rock was reached on the second round, when Vogrant shot shoul and won easily. -1 ime, 4.261.

The VALLEY STAKES, sweepstakes of \$5 each; with \$100 added; for subscription griffins of this season, 1890-91, only; weight for inches. Three quarters of a

Mr. John Peel's Blue Bonnet (Mr Hough) Mr Darius' Mercury (Mr Sampson) 10st. Mr Buxev's Stiding Scale (Mr Pond) 11st. Mr Cruickshank's Ruy Blas (Mr Cruick-Mr Mour & Redfern (Mr Hutchings) 11st 11b. ...0 Mr Quintot's Romance (Mr Green) 11st.

Mr Twain's Toison d'or (Mr Hart Buck) Mr Lea's Redskin (Mr Reynell) 10st. Mr Fraser Smith's Glencoz (Mr Maclean) Mr Jones's Ysgyffarnog (Mr Orlebar) wood) 11st. 4tbs. ...0 Capt. R. J. Gardiner's Patlander (Master) 11st. 11b.

This was another win for John Peal Stiling Scale first left the crowd of ponie and kept in front till near the Village, when the favourite Blue Bonnet passed him and won easily. Near the finish took second place.—Time, 1.353.

The Lusrano Cur, presented by the men bers of the Club Lusitano, for China ponies; weight for inches; previous winners at this meeting, 10ibs, extra ; sut scription griffins of this season, 1890-91, allowed olbs.; entrance \$10; spoud pony to receive half the entrace money. One mile and a quarter. Mr Sassoon's Zephyr (Mr Sassoon) 11st.

Mr Burey's Homeguard (Mr Pond) 11st. Mr John Peel's Emerald (Mr Hough) Mr Yoma's Nero (Mr Boyd) 11st. 1lbs...0 This was a race between Zephyr and Homeward. The other two were not in it Zephyr and Homeguard raced neck and neck once round. Going down towards the Village Sassoon drew away and gradually increased his lead. Homequard tried to make up on the Straight, but could not reach Z phyr who came in an easy first. Time, 2.41.

The Canton Cur. for China ponies bond fidegriffins at date of entry (17th January, 1891); weight for inches; winners at the mesting 7lbs. extra; entrance 85. One Mr John Peel's Hilarity (Mr Hough)

Mr Awa's Phoenix (Mr Groen) 10st. 121bs....2 Mr Fraser Smith's Chreasorst (Mr Colling. wood) 10st. 12lba ...\$ An easy win for Hilarity. Phoenix raced with the winner over half the course, but fell behind before the Black Ruck was reached. - Time, 2.134.

China punies; weight for inches; entrance \$15; second pony to receive 50 per cent.; third pony, 2p per cent. of ontrance money. One mile and a half. Mr. John Peel's Vagrant (Mr Hough) Mr Chantrey's Autocrat (Mr Master) 11st.

Mr Sid's Susewind (Mr Maclean) 11st. Mr Twain's Ascold (Mr Collago wood) 11st. Another win for John Peel. Susewind ran off at the start and kept a long lead till near the Rock on the last round. Vagrant and Autocrat who had been running togo-

The Compradors' Cup; for all subscription griffing of this season, 1890.91, only; weight for inches; winner of Valley Sinkes, 51bs. extra ; entrance \$5 ; second pony to receive half the entrance money. Mr Quintet's Romance (Mr Green) 11st.

Major Hannay's Jujube (Major Hannay) Mr Heinrich's Kubla Khan (Mr Sampson) 10st. 6lbs. Mr MacLin's High Jinks (Mr Hutchiogs) 11st. 115....0 Mr John Peel's Tom Tit (Mr Machado) Mr Barker's Clarewood (Mr Barker) 11st. 13lbs...0 Mr John Peel's Co Bong (Mr Master) Hough) 10st. 10lbs...,0 | Capt. R. J. Gardiner's Coc a Nut (Mr rect. Cruickshank) 11st. 4lbs. ...0 son) 10at, 10lbs, ... 0 Mr Fraser Smith's Giencos (Mr Maclean) 10st. 13|bs. 0 Mr Jay's Renner (Mr Collingwood) 10st. 10lbs...0 Mr Jones's Youffarnog (Mr Reynell) 10at 13|bs ... 0 | Mr Loa's Redskin (Mr Boyd) 10at. 12|bs ... 0 Go Bang made the running at first and lean) 10st. 10lbs. 0 | kept the lead till near the Village, when

TIPS FOR TO-MORROW. Scurry Stakes -Merry Thought. Exchange Plate-Zephyr. German Cup -

Blue Bonnet.

Professional Cup -Vagrant. Parseo Cup-Galla t. Jookey Cap -

Kunizefehre't. Flay away Stakes-Brokers' Cup-Autocrat.

Welter Plate-

A.scabl. 10st. 12lbs...0 OHINA FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY

LIMITED. The following is the report for presenta-10st. 12lbs...0 tion to the thereholders at the twenty-Arabic took the lad and kept it till the second ordinary meeting, to be held at the Company's Offices at half-past two o'clock 1891:-

sent as Statement of the Company's Ac- | most likely be in favour of our Eastern counts for the year ending 31st December Capital : albeit we have no racing women, sympathy with what is going on they have

Account, as per last Report, was \$244,085.53 11st. 1ib. ... 1 Doduct Dividend of \$3 por Share. paid in 1800 \$60.000.00 12 bs. ... 2 Deduct Claims under

1889. Policies paid Deduct Return premia &c., &c. paid

Balance of Profit \$141,532.01

sum as follows: \$60,000 as a Final Dividend | cordingly the little mare accompanied her | Bazar. of \$3 per Shere, (making \$6 for the year) ; home. \$33,032.01 as Bonus on contributions of 10st. 12ibs. ... 0 premia by Shareholders; and the balance, stand may be divided into those who come \$48,500, to Reserve Fund, thereby increas-10st. 12lbs. ... ing the same to \$743,500, which it is hoped former division includes the intelligent may be approved.

1890 .- The Balance at Credit of Working I is when they see one, and are emongst the Account on the 31st December was most regular patronesses of the meetings at usual First Dividend of \$3 per Share. The friend has something running. They like Losses were rather more numerous last year | racing for itself, and being usually good but it is hoped the Policies may run off piece of riding from a bad. They remember without greatly exceeding the average.

Directors.-During the year Mr B. Lay-Mercury came forward in good style and ton resigned and the Directors filled his place by inviting to the Board Mr H. P. Tennanti whose lamented decease at a later period created a vacancy which still remains. Hon. P. Ryrie and Mr Dalrymple retire by rotation and offer themselves for re-

Auditors.-Mosers J. H. Cox and R. Lyall have addited the Accounts now presented and offer themselves for re-election. P. RYRIB, Chairman.

BALANCE SHEET, BIST DECEMBER, 1890. Capital Account Accounts Payable: Final Dividend for 1889 ... Bonus for 1889 and Sundries

Working Account 1890: Balance at Credit Cash at Bankers Fixed Deposits at Banks Invested in Bonds: Chinese Imp. Govt. Loans O. & E ... Loans on Mortgage :

On Proporties in Hongkong

On Properties in Shanghei

Hongkong Fire Ins. Co.'a Shares. ... Furniture Account: Office Furniture, &c. Accounts Receivable Premia dua from Agencies Interest due on Deposits and Investment, &c.

The Hongkong Club Cur, presented, for Working Account. 1st January to 31st DECEMBER, 1890. Dr. To Charges Account: Rent, Salaries, Legal and Surveyors' Fees, Stamps, Stationery, &c., &c. ... 8 18,603.51 Directors' and Auditors' Fees Lo Commission Account: Agents' Commissions To Fire Brigades Account: · Contributions at Agencies To Losses Account 1890: Claims accraing to this year Co Amount written Off: --

Furniture Account To Balance ... By Premium Account: Net amount of Premis colleoted ...\$ 246,131.72 Less Re-insur-7,174.25 \$ 233,957.45 By Interest Account: Amount at Credit, including Interest due on Deposits and Investments, &c. ... By Exchange Account: Amount at Oredit ... By Transfer Fee Account: Amount at Oredit ...

E. & O. E. J.B. Coughters, Secretary. We have examined the above Statement with the Books and Securities at the Head Office, and have found the same to be cor-

R. LYALL, Auditors. Hongkong, 17th February, 1891.

Ha who never changed any of his opinlons never corrected any of his mistakes. No MAN would owe anything if he could

LADIES ON THE RACECOURSE. (Calculta Asian.)

the number of its representatives who grace is ver bet again. She did though - and our race meetings with their presence is on with that montal mutability which is supthe increase, and we feel sure that there is posed to be an exclusively feminine charup one who begrudges them their share in actoristic-over the next race, when she the sport. To most men it affords consider- luckily pulled off a five to one chance, which able pleasure to be able to pass a portion of exalted her into the seventh heaven of dethe intervals between the rac's in their light. Before the season was over she company, when a few moments spent in lasked her husband to take her to Lucknow conversation or mild flirtation serve to dis- to see the Civil Service Cup run for, and tract the mind from the consideration of on her return informed us that she had landicaps and olds which Lord Beacons- experienced real good times and talked of field declared to be the staple subject of mothing but 'the dear ponies' for weeks thought and speech of those addicted to the afterwards. great game. Then, again, if one is untrammelled with the cares of ownership, what is are the dames and damozels who, like the pleasanter than to leaf round the paddock Pharisees of old, come forth to be seen of with a charming and well-turned out female | men. How they and their heidibours are companion who, though not infrequently drossed is one of their chief considerations, knowing as much about the points of a said were it not fashionable to put in an horse as one elf, accepts one's opinion with appearance at the races they would be cona pleasing deference, which is scothing to spicuous by their absouce. Their reason masculine vanity, and leads one to think for attending is much the same as that that every word from one's light is a pearl of | which a writer in Funch once gave for our wisdom. Even mysogynists will admit that | mardens going to church, when he libellousfrom a pictorial point of view, ladies are an acquisition on the turf, and that the blending of the gayer colors of their apparel with the more sober worn by the 'lords of creation'—save the mark—please the eye and add considerably to the general scenic

tion of ladies who are seen on race days meet their friends and indulge in a pleasant is greater than at home, and if statistics gossip, but the racing itself bores them, were prepared of the number of the fair sex and they feel not an iota of interest in the p.m., on Friday, the 27th February, present on the Cup days at the principal stirring scenes enacted before them. Ge-Society reunions at home, such as Ascot herally they regard the afternoon in the and Goodwood and of the Viceroy's Cup light of a society function and are glad The Directors have the pleasure to pre- I day here, the comparative balance would | when it is ever. Their enthusiasm is not like Her Grace of Montrose and others who lof course no inducement to indulge in any 1889.—The balance at Credit of Working might be included in the same category. Very seldom, indeed, do we see a lady's ture. name figuring as that of the owner of a racehorse, unless the event is of the Gymkhana type in which some favorite hack with a supposed turn to speed is afforded a chance of showing his paces, and the only exception we can recall is that of the kind-hearted lady who owned Gazelle. The handsome little country-bred, it will be remembered, amongst other successes, scoured the Pony Handicap Chase at Tollygunge last season, and her mistress, who held quite a leve after her victory, was so attached to her pet that she could not bear The Directors propose to apportion this thought of parting from her, and ac-

As a body, the women folk we see on the to see and those who come to be seen. The overs of horsefles's who know what a horse \$231,876.04, and it is proposed to pay the | which generally some relation or intimate | ing to whip you, my son? Little Johnnythan for the preceding two or three years, horsewomen themselves can tell a good you wouldn't put a fluger on me. * Puck. very fairly any previous form they have witnessed, and if they speculate at all do so very judiciously, and in small sums (though, for that matter, most ladies in this country do not bet at all, and amongst those that do we seldom or never hear of any plunging otherwise than in the most modest fushion). With them must be grouped another class of feminine spectators, and it is the one that contributes the largest quota to the total. We refer to those who, like the genuine sportswomen we have already mentioned, come to see, but whose interest is less deep, and who would not regard it as a bardship if circumstances compelled them to stop away. They are mere superficial observers who enjoy the speciacle and the ... 8 400,000.00 excitement ovoked by struggles between 748,500.00 hurse and man, but have no desire to go deeper into things. It is all the same to 60,000.00 | them whether the horses competing are the 41,819.08 best of their class in the country or a lot of You should not ask for so much, it is selftrappers taken fresh from the shafts. Nevertheless, it is amongst these superficial spectators that we find the greatest number of lady bettors, and to a woman al-\$1,482,195.10 | most, they prefer that their escorts should make their investments through the totaliantor in preference to the money being put on at the lists. Whether the calculation of pound, troy; platinum is worth \$130, and the odds is boyond them, or whether they silver about \$12. Nickel is quoted at 60 like the additional uncertainty entailed by the impossibility of anticipating what divi- some of the above figures seem high, what dend the machine will declare, we know will-we say when told that barium is quoted not, but that they consider it the nicer at \$975 per troy pound and calcium at channel for speculation cannot be denied. They bet most erratically and often with lug seldom sold for less than \$200 per wonderful luck. It is sometimes simply ounce. Uhromium brings the same and phenomenal. Of course, they lose a good didymium but a fraction less, being worth deal, but frequently their selections-pure \$1,900 per pound in any market in the guesses all of them-prove wonderfully cor- world. It is said that the combined wealth 500.00 rect. Who cannot recall several instances of the Vanderbilts would buy 328 tone of

man - preferred to trust to his own judg- Itum, that rare metal being worth \$3,250 47,239.86 ment rather than in women's luck, and per ounce. en passant we would advise our male \$1,482,195.10 readers when entrusted with a lady's commission to remember that it is always advisable to execute it literally. It does not do to protend that it has been done, when it has not. Of course it is pleasant to be able to hand back her stake to a fair puntress after the race is over, and tell her that you, thinking her choice had no chance, had taken the liberty of laying the odds yourself; but if the despised candidate happens to do the trick, the reverse is the case, and there is not much satisfaction to be derived from having to pay the wager from your own pocket, and being also compelled to offer congratulations on a success which you believed impossible and which demonstrated how much your judgment was at fault. The way they choose their horse is another interesting study. They 'go in blind' with a vengeance. It is no preommon thing to hear one say : 'O, look at the pretty borse ! See how he holds bis head. That is the horse I want. Then she consults her programmo to learn his name. Sometimes she picks out a horse because his jockey's colors are pretty; at others she fancies one because of his name. She has a hundred different ways, and when she has decided upon him, all the arguments that man can muster won't change her. Perhaps that is the reason for her lick. Man will back his judgment rather than his luck. He will get frightened away by odds. But the odds are never so big that a woman does not think her horse will win. She is guided by sentiment. Many of them, we are disposed to think.

had never visited a race course before coming out to this country, and were either brought up in Puritanical homes where a race meeting and a sink of iniquity were regarded as interchangeable terms or were nurtured by parents who wrongly considered anything connected with the turf as bordering on the disreputable, and we remember being much amused once by a remark made by a clergyman's daughter. on the occasion of her making and losing her first bet. For a long time she would not go to the moes on any consideration, and was always a bit annoyed with her husband for going in the face of her refueal THERMOMETER 9 A.M. to accompany him. At length, however, she was induced to change her mind; and seemed to enjoy hernelf considerably, and soon entering into the spirit of things wished to have her mite on the inve of one of pay his debts by giving bis notes .- N. O. the events. Before doing so she paid us the compliment of consulting us, and wo

gove her a tip, which unfortunately did no. c me off; our selection being a good With the softer sox outering more and second. As the horses passed the pest she

The opposites of those we have discussed

To church, to church, the pars n cries. To church each fair one goes, The old go there to close their eyes, the young to eye their clo(th)es.

The lawn they like as an agreeable promonade whereupon to display their In India it is probable that the proper- finery and as a rendezvous at which to awakened, and as they have little or no form of gambling, however trifling its na-

> Lance Silver Tips are still used for Canes. Imbrellas, and Hotel-weiters, - Yorkers'

Tus man who knows it all is bad enough but he isn't a circumstance to the man who knew it all beforehand, and who says afterward that he told you so .- Somerville Jour-

'I rook after the great responsibilities my wife looks after the little onea.' That's strange. I thought the little ones were the greatest of all responsibilities."-Harper's

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next door who called you a liar last night An Anti-Climax. - Lady Lecturer on Woman's Rights (growing warm)-Where would man be if it had not been for woman ? (After a pause, and looking around the hall.) I repeat, where would man be if it had not been for woman? Voice from the

Gallery-Ee'd be in Paradise, ma'am. Unserrish.—One of our exchanges prints a story of a small boy who had implicit confidence in Santa Claus and was eagerly. looking forward to Christmas. One morning, shortly before the happy holiday, his mother found him in the parlor, where the are had gone out, with his mouth at the open door of the stove. Pleathe, Thanta Clauth, he was saying, bring me a wagon. a pair of big wubber bootth, thome candy, a thiste and manma a new dweth.' 'Why Tommy, said his mother, Santa Claus cannot afford to bring you all those things. sh.' Tommy's face clouded for a minute : then it grew bright with an idea, and returning to the stove he called up the chimmey : Pleathe, Thanta Clauth, you needn't

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Egeria surveying	lass coast defence 368	3	340		In reserve
		1 4	460	Lieut. Com. Denison	Hongkong
Firebrand gumbon 2	2079			Captain R. F. Hammick	Hongkong
Himolaya troopship	1420	8	1190	Captain Robt. W. Craigle	Yokobama
Hyscinth cruiser		10	10000	Captain William H. May	Hongkong
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Merito gunboat 2	750	4		Captain Ingram	Hongkong
Peacook gunboat	705	6	1200	Lieut. Com. Hewett	Yokohama
Pigmy gunboat		6	1200	Captain E. G. Rason	Shanghai
Player gundont	755	6	3500	CommanderR. W. White	Shanghai
	edo cruser 1730	3	690	Captain L. S. Dawson	Singapora
Rambler surveying		6	1200	Captain J. G. Hough	Hongkong
Rattler gunboat 1	st class 715	1 2 - 27	1200	Captain F. Wm. Freeman	Amoy.
Redpole gunboat	805	12	600	Captain Hall	Hongkong
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Swift gun vesse	2nd class 756	5	1010		In reserve
Torpedo Boat No. 35		*****			In reserve
Pornodo Hone Nei 36	95		840		In reserve
Tweed g-bt. 3rd	class coast defence 363	3	010	Commodore E. J. Church .	Hongkong
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* Flagiluli vice-Admiral Sir Nowell Salmon, K. C. B., V. C., Commander-in-Chief.

H. B. M. Ships' tonnage, displacements and effective horse powers are given according to H. M. Navy list.

Foreign Men-of-war on the China and Japan Station.

Name.	Flag and Rig.	Tons.	Guns.	H.P.	Captain.	Where at
Admiral Nakhimoff	Russian armored cruiser	8000	22	8000	Captain Fedotoff	Jepan Negasaki
Alsout	Russian gunboat	800		4	Captain Parenego	Hongkong
Alexandrine	German cruiser	3200			Captain Schmider Captain H. C. Taylor	Yokohama
Alliance	U.S. gunboat	615	_		Captain A. Soler	Op a cruise
Aragou	Spanish cruiser	1908	-	470	Commander Journet	Shanghai
Atpic	French gunbout	470	*	450	Captain Bagard	Saigon
Opensons	French despatch-vessel		-		Captain Ascher	Shanghai
Iltia	German gunboat	489	7. T. C.		Capt. de Jonquières	Manila
Inconstant	French gunboat	800			Captain Röttger	Hongkong
Leipzig	German cruiser	3800		JOK.	Captain Nany	Touron
Latin	French gunboat	485		425	Commander Dyer	Kobe
Marion	U. S. corvette	1900	7	1170	LieutCom. M. L. Johnson	Nagasaki
Managacy	U.B. alcep	1370	6	1470 1150	Capt. Cromwell	Yokohama
Omina	U.S. corvette	2400	12	500	Lieut,-Com. Craig	Nagasaki
Palos	U.S. gunboat	420	8	420	Lieut. Commander Lapied	Haiphong
Piuviar	French gunbost	540		200	Captain J. R. Santa Barbara	Hongkong
Blo Lima	Portuguese gunboat	640	1	1000	Commander Kasherininoff	Shanghai
Sivooton	Russian ortainer	900		1000	Cantain Herbing	Hougkong
Sophie	German cruiser	2100			Commander John McGowan	Kobe
Swatara	corvette	500	3	100	LieutCom. C. B. Caminha	Масло
Tejo	Portuguese gunboat	4500	the control of the control	100	Capt. Luciniere	Manila 🦠
Triomphante	French cruiser	4000			Captain Mayet	Haiphong
Villara	French cruiser	480	4	425	Commander Constolla	Shangbai
VI.	Fierca zambost	346			Cantain Roych	Shanghai
Volturno	Italian gunbeat	1.040		4	Ospinia Hellhoff	Hongkong.
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NAGASAKI, In Port on January 31, 1691. G. H. Wappaus Brit. bqe. Kozaki Maru Japan, bqo.

YOKOHAMA. In port on January 80, 1891. Brit. bge. Amer. sch Diana Amer. ah. Brit. Milverton Pythomene Brit. Thomas Dana Amer. sh. Wm. H. ConnerAmer. shi HIOGO,

In port on January 31, 1891. Belle O'Brien Amer. th. Honolulu Brit.

MANILA. In Port on January 20, 1891. MERCHANT STEAMERS. str. Liverpool Brit. str. uncertain Sussex MERCHANT SAILING VERSELS. None.

MOHO, RESCHANT STEAMERS. Federation Fren. bge. Sandy Hook f.o.

BANGKOK. In port on January 28, 1891. MESCHANT BAILING VESSELA. Brit. bge. Charon WattanaSiam, boe. Brit, bqe, Herradura Amer, bge. Siam. Ing. Norw. bge. Slam. boe. Simeon Norw. bos.

KOH-SI-CHEONG In Port on January 28, 1891. MERCHANT SAILING VESSELS. AgostinoRombo Ital. bos. Velociforo Italian bge.

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